The Charles Cline House is a two and one-half story stuccoed stone residence similar to many other residences in the New Market area except that the addition of stucco over stone has radically changed the exterior appearance of the building. A mid nineteenth century frame barn and carriage shed are also located on the premises.

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The John Clay House is a two and one-half story stuccoed stone residence which faces south from the east side of Boyer's Mill Road.

The principal facade is five bays wide; the main entrance door is a six panel door with a four light transom located in the third bay, occupying the remaining bays on the first and second level are 2/2 windows.

A one story veranda with a railing which is three bays wide is located across the front of the building. The replaced tin gable roof is finished by a plain boxed cornice. Two large stuccoed chimneys are located in the center of the building and flush with the west side. A one story frame and glass addition is located across the north side of the rear part of the building. Although the surveyor was unable to gain entrance into the house it is apparent that the east section of the building is the latest addition and that the eastern three bays of the main block are the original part of the structure. A mid 19th century frame barn and carriage shed are also located on the premises. The farm house is currently used as a tenant house.

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The John Clay House is another example of the many stone residences located in the New Market Planning Region. The Clay house, however, was stuccoed at some point during the twentieth century radically changing the visual character of the dwelling.

Although the exact construction date is unknown, the eastern section of the house appears to date from the early 19th century or late 18th century. According to a deed of partition of the between Cornelius Clay and Zebulon Clay dated April 29, 1854. There were structures standing on the premises as it includes to the "building thereon." No earlier references to the property have been located.

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